

Application No. 09/895,198
Docket No. Y0999-247DIV

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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER, ART UNIT 2893**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Muller, et al.

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the After-Final Office Action dated **August 3, 2009**, setting a three-month statutory period for response, please consider this timely filed Amendment in the above-identified application as follows: